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SALES AT VENDUE.

On every Tuesday and Friday,
WILL BE SOLD,
At the Vendue Store, corner of Prince and Water Streets,
A VARIETY OF
Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.

Particulars of which will be expressed in the bills of the day.

☞ All kind of goods which are on limitation and the prices of which are established, can at any time be viewed and purchased at the lowest limitation and prices.

P. G. MARSTELLER.

Sales at Auction.

On Wednesdays and Saturdays,
WILL BE OFFERED,
At the Auction Office on Union street, Between King and Prince—

AN extensive and general assortment of seasonable Goods, of British, French, German, India, and Domestic Manufacture, which will be well selected, and well worthy the attention of town and country merchants and others: as the undersigned will be abundantly supplied from the manufactors and their friends in Boston, New York and Philadelphia—which will give to gentlemen an opportunity of laying in their goods on as good terms as they can be in those cities taking into view the difference of Exchange, etc. etc.

The particular description of goods will be advertised in the papers of the day.

Consignments strictly attended to and liberal advances made if desirable

John Jackson & Co
Auctioneers

November 27

Exchange Office, *Georgetown*

I WILL give the highest premium for Drafts at Sight, and Bank Notes, on the following places, viz.

Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia.—I will also give the highest premium for Drafts on New Orleans, Treasury Notes and Specie.

All kinds of Western Bank Notes bought and sold.

All kinds of Stocks and Bills of Exchange bought and sold.

Notes, Drafts, and Interest collected and remitted for a small commission.

☞ Persons travelling to any part of the United States may be supplied with *suitable Funds.*

☞ Please to enquire at my Exchange and Broker's Office, *Bridge-street, Geo. Town.*

Romulus Riggs.

June 1 tf

Burr Mill Stone Manufacture

John S. Brown and Co.

Respectfully inform the Public that they continue the MANUFACTURE of BURR MILL STONES, on the corner of Patrick and Cameron-streets, in the town of Alexandria, where they are ready to receive any orders with which they may be favored, and will execute them with all despatch and in the best manner.

They have received an assortment of

Bolting Cloths

Of good quality, and intend keeping a constant supply.

september 23 tf

Bolting Cloths.

The subscriber has just received by the General Lingan, Captain Weston, from Amsterdam, a large and elegant assortment of Bolting Cloths, of a superior quality, which will be offered for sale at the store of Mr. James Anderson.

Amos Alexander.

October 6 tf

For Rent or for sale on a long credit

The subscriber will rent, or sell upon the most accommodating terms, the House and Lot, whereon he at present resides. The House is large, convenient, and finished in a superior style. The Lot, consisting of two acres, is in the highest state of cultivation as a garden, abounding in the most choice fruits, shrubs, &c. Possession can be given about the 1st of December.

He will purchase Dry Cows.

Aug J. Smith.

Nov 20 eot1stDec

FOR SALE.

On liberal Terms,

A NUMBER of Houses and Lots, at the lower end of Fairfax street, and the whole or a part of the low ground on and adjacent to Jones's Point. Apply to

J. D. Simms.

Dec 28 eo

Just Published

And ready for Delivery,
THE MONTHLY VISITANT,
No. V.

Feb 5

PUBLIC UTILITY

ROMULUS RIGGS

At the Exchange and Broker's office, Bridge Street, Georgetown, has, got his establishment so arranged that he is at all times prepared to furnish money in any part of the U. States; persons holding funds they wish to exchange can be accommodated by forwarding them to his office; all those holding notes of any of the banks of the District in any part of the U. States, by sending them to this office, may have them put into the currency of the neighbourhood.

The highest premium paid for drafts and bank notes on Boston, N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia; also for United States Bank notes, Treasury notes and specie. Holders of unchartered bank notes, from any part of the U. States, can have them put into specie or any thing they may wish; all kinds of western bank notes bought and sold—All kinds of stock bought and sold, transfers made, dividends, notes and drafts collected and remitted for a small commission: persons abroad having claims against houses in the district, can have them punctually attended to and settled. As there are many persons who have money lying idle, who would wish to put it to interest, such persons can have six per cent per annum for it, for any time not less than sixty days, and not longer than twelve months: interest paid every sixty days if required, and principle when demanded by giving three days notice, no sums less than one hundred dollars received on interest. The best security given. Office kept open for business from eight o'clock in the morning until six o'clock in the evening.

January 28

R, & J. MANDEVILLE

Have just received, and offer for sale,
70 barrels whiskey
10 hhds 1st and 2d quality whiskey
10 puncheons rum
20 bags pimento and pepper
25 do green coffee
100 lbs. S. F. indigo
100 do Louisiana do
60 boxes Spanish cigars
10 kegs manufactured tobacco
1000 bushels Liverpool coarse salt
200 reams writing paper
75 do wrapping do
25 kegs Brandywine gunpowder
20 do British do
Together with a general assortment of Groceries.

N. B. Family Flour as usual.

Dec 24

Little River Turnpike Comp'y

AT the annual meeting of the Stockholders in the Little River Turnpike Company, in the town of Alexandria on the 18th January 1817—it was

Resolved That for the purpose of encouraging the use of broad wheeled waggons on the Little River Turnpike Road that all waggons the breadth of the wheels whereof shall be 6 inches, shall be permitted to pass the gates on said road toll free for the term of 2 years, and all waggons whose wheels shall be the breadth of 5 inches, shall be permitted to pass toll free for the term of 18 months—also all waggons the breadth of the wheels whereof shall be 4 inches and under 5 inches, shall be permitted to pass on paying half toll for the term of 3 years from the time they shall pass the respective gates, which shall be specially noticed by the gate keeper, who shall notify the treasurer of the same. This regulation shall be extended to all persons who shall avail themselves of it within three years from this date.

PHILIP NELSON, Chnirman.

January 17 2aw6m

☞ The editor of the Winchester Gazette, is requested to insert the above six months, and send his account to this office.

To RENT,

The Store and Dwelling on Union-street, formerly occupied by the subscriber, and lately by Capt. Lawrence. It is one of the best Stands in Alexandria for the Grocery Business, and as such has been used for many years.

Apply to

JACOB LEAP.

January 31 eo6t

NOTICE.

The Stockholders of the Mechanic's Bank of Alexandria, are hereby notified, that an election for fifteen Directors, for the ensuing year, will be held at the court house, in this town, on Monday the 10th of March next, at ten o'clock, A. M.

By order of the President and Directors,

William Paton, jun.
Cashier.

February 8

Bacon Hams, &c.

From eight to ten thousand weight first quality Bacon Hams fit for family use,

Also, 200 boxes Nova Scotia Herrings very nice——for sale by

Wm. Garner & Co,

january 21

QUIGLY'S

Burr Mill Stone Manufactory.

THE subscriber has received a large supply of BURR BLOCKS direct from France, and has commenced making Burr Mill Stones, at his shop, upper end of King street, near the store of Mr James Anderson, where he can on a shor notice, furnish Stones of any size, warranted equal to any in the United States and on the most reasonable terms.

Michael Quigly.

april 6 tf

Lewis Hipkins & Co

Have imported in the ships Boston and Gen. Smith,
A Quantity of
HARD WARE, CUTLERY, &c.
which, with their former stock on hand, renders their assortment very complete.

They have also on hand GERMAN GOODS, and

Swedish Bar Iron,

All of which will be sold low.

September 26 tf

WHISKEY.

LINDSAY & HILL,
Have just received and offer for sale,
52 barrels rectified *Whiskey*—old.

February 7 tf

Merchants Bank Paper.

I will receive a few hundred dollars of Merchants Bank Paper in payment for dr. goods, at 50 cents to the dollar.

Jonathan Scholfield.

February 7

For Charleston, S. C.

The new and fast sailing
Schooner Augustus,
Nye, Master,
She will sail early next week, and take a few hundred barrels at a low freight. Two or three passengers can be well accommodated. Apply to

Thomas H. Howland.

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For Liverpool,

The prime, fast sailing ship NEW JERSEY. Capt. A. Hodgkinson; having part of her cargo engaged, will take freight on moderate terms.

Apply to

Brown and Wilson,
or Joseph Dean,

January 6 tf

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.
County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term. 1816.

IN CHANCERY.

Colin Auld, complainant—*against*
John Mills, junior, Noble[t] Herbert and Alexander Baggott, *deft's.*

The defendant John Mills, junior, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court upon affidavit, that the said defendant John Mills, junior, is not an inhabitant of this district: on motion of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant John Mills, junior, do appear here on the first day of April term next and enter his appearance to the suit and give security for performing the decrees of the court; and that the other defendants Noble[t] Herbert and Alexander Baggot, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant John Mills, junior, until the further order or decree of this court; and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county.

Copy—Teste.

G. DENEALE, c. c.

January 22 law2m

COMBS

Thomas Mount,

Continues to have Combs manufactured from tortoise shell and horns. He has just finished about one hundred & fifty dozen tortoise shell Combs, of newest fashions; which, with a very general assortment of combs of all descriptions and a very handsome collection of

Fancy Goods, Hardware and Cutlery,

Inferior to none in the district of Columbia, he offers for sale on reasonable terms, at his Fancy Hardware Store on King street.

Editors of the National Intelligencer are requested to insert the above three times and send their account to this office.

February 14

IN COUNCIL, February 11.

The following persons were appointed commissioners for holding elections in the different wards on Tuesday the 4th day of March next, for members to serve in the common council for the ensuing twelve months, viz.

W Harper sen, J T Brooks, M Robinson — At Boardman's and Neale's tavern, for the first ward

Colin Auld, W Bartleman, John Longden — At the council chamber for 2d ward

John Roberts, C Neale, James Douglass — At Indian Queen tavern for 3d ward

T Lawsrason, A Moore, J C Vowell — At Mr Girdis, corner of Duke and St. Asaph streets, for 4th ward

Teste, I. P. Thompson, cc.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
County of Alexandria, to wit: November Term. 1816.

IN CHANCERY.

The Common Council of Alexandria complainants—*against*
Llewellyn C. Griffith, John F Smith, and Peter Saunders, *deft's.*

THE defendant Llewellyn C. Griffith, not having entered his appearance and giving security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court upon affidavit, that the said defendant Llewellyn C. Griffith, is not an inhabitant of this district—*on motion* of the complainant by his counsel, it is ordered, that the said defendant Llewellyn C. Griffith, do appear here on the first day of the next term of this court, and enter his appearance to the suit and give security for performing the decrees of this court; and that the other defendants John F. Smith and Peter Saunders, do not pay away, convey or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in their hands belonging to the said absent defendant Llewellyn C. Griffith, until the further order or decree of the court: and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the court house of said county

Copy—Test.

G. DENEALE. c. c.

January 22 law2m

Alexandria Morocco Manufactory.

At the Corner of Oronoko & Water streets near the Fish wharf,

Where may be had, Morocco for gentlemen's boots, Morocco and American Kid of all colors for ladies' shoes, coachmakers' and hatters' Lining Skins, hatters' and spinning wool. The above articles manufactured in the best manner by the subscribers.

John D. Benkhert & Co.

N, B. All kinds of Silks scowered and dyed in the best manner.

November eotf

We have just received and offer for sale,

200 barrels Kentucky whiskey, old and very fine
50 boxes dipt candles
30 boxes fresh mustard.

Bryan Hampson & Co.

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Potomac and *Shenandoah* Navigation Lottery.

THE drawing of the Lottery will be recommenced on Monday the third of February next.

Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewer, at the Commissioner's Office in George Town, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent of said Lottery, in Alexandria.

Elie Williams, Pres't.

December 27

Whereas I did by, 26th November, 1816, to Bryan Hampson and Janney & Co. for certain in mentioned, all my books, dits, etc

Notice is hereby given to indebted to me by bond, note count, that the same is required paid to John D. Brown or Robson, who alone are authorized joint assignees to receive the same

William H.

December 5

FOR SALE,

A tract of Land containing 357 more or less, lying on Occoquan R the county of Fairfax and state of Virginia, adjoining the lands of Robert Thompson and William Mason. presumed those desirous of purchasing will view the land and for themselves judge of its peculiar advantages. One third of the purchase money will be required in hand, the balance at 12, & 18 months, with a deed of trust to secure the payments.

Thompson F. Mason.

December 14.

EXCHANGE

On Boston at three days sight for six thousand dollars and on Philadelphia at thirty days sight for fifteen hundred dollars, for sale by

J. G. LADD & Co

Jan 20

Old Wine, &c.

The subscriber has added to his former stock four pipes of high flavored 6 year old wine from the house of Scott, Pringle, Veitch & Co. which he solicits a trial of.

IN STORE,

L. P. Madeira wine in pipes, half pipes and quarter casks from each of the most celebrated houses in the island.

Port, L. P. Teneriffe and Sherry wines

Old Cognac Brandy, Holland gin; with a general assortment of liquors and groceries, for sale at reduced prices, by

JOHN H. CREASE.

Also ten barrels Rye Flour.

February 5. d4teott

Butter and Clover Seed,

50 firkins best Bath county butter & 75 bushels warranted clover seed,
Received and for sale by

Thomas Janney & Co.

Feb 1

India Goods and Rum.

John G. Ladd & Co.

Have just received by schooner New Packet and sloop Henry, and will sell on liberal terms,

15 hhds and 14 barrels N E rum
6 bales Burbooa gurrahs
2 do Luckipore baftas
1 do Chilloolly do
1 do Oomercolly do
1 do fine do
1 do Mow sannans
1 do Auzengen mamoody.

Dec 17

NOTICE.

Whereas I did by assignment dated 31st Jan 1817, transfer and assign to Isaac Robbins for certain purposes therein mentioned all my books, rights, credits, etc

Notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to me by bond, note or book account, that the same is required to be paid to Isaac Robbins the assignee above mentioned who alone is authorised by me to receive the same

Daniel Cawood.

Feb 5 d1weo1m

Alexandria, November 27

Was committed to the jail of this county as a runaway, a Negro Woman who says her name is Roberta Jones, and that she is free and was born in Lancaster county, state of Virginia; she is about 38 years of age; dark complexion and lived in this town about 3 months

The owner, if any, is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges and take her away otherwise she will be disposed of as the law directs.

James Campbell,
Keeper of the jail for Washington
Boyd, Marshal

To hire for one year,

A likely Mulatto Man about 21 years of age: he is active and strong Enquire at this Office

Feb 1

Philadelphia Money.

Bank Notes of Philadelphia and Baltimore, for sale by

Mandeville & Larmour.

Dec 27

Rum, Molasses, New England Sugar & Tea,

JOHN G. LADD & CO.
Offer for sale the Cargo of Brig Economy from Boston, viz.
54 hhds N. E. rum
56 bbls N. E. do
9 hhds molasses
57 bbls Muscovado sugars
68 tons Russia and Swedes iron assorted and square
14 bbls tanners oil
20 tons plaisthe Paris
1 hhd coffee
Hingham boxes, tubs, covers, &c.

FOR BOSTON,

The good Brig Economy, Josiah Farrow, jun. master For freight 400 barrels apply to

John G. Ladd & Co.

Dec 28

Charles County Court,

August Term 1816.

On application to Charles County Court by petition in writing of John Budd, of Charles County, for the benefit of the act of assembly for the relief of insolvent debtors, passed at November session 1805, & the several supplements thereto, on the terms mentioned therein; a schedule of his property and a list of his creditors on oath, as far as he can ascertain them, accompanying his petition; and the court being satisfied by competent testimony, that the said John Budd has resided two years immediately preceding the time of his application, in the state of Maryland: it is thereupon ordered and adjudged, that the said John Budd, by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some one of the newspapers edited in the district of Columbia, once a week for two months, before the third Monday in March next, give notice to his creditors to APPEAR before the said court at the court house in Charlestown, on the said third Monday in March next for the purpose of recommending a trustee for their benefit, and to shew cause if any they have, why the said John Budd should not have the benefit of the act of assembly aforesaid, and the several supplements thereto, as prayed.

Teste. JOHN BARNES, Clk.

January 3 law2m

Five Dollars reward

Ran away on the first of June 1816, from the subscriber, a black boy by the name of Spencer Bennett. He is about 18 years old, and his father lives at the stone bridge in Alexandria. I purchased him of Mr. Thomas F. Herbert for a term of years. Reasonable charges will be paid if brought home or lodged in jail so that I get him again.

John T. O. Wildbar.

February 18 eo6t

Masters of vessels & others are forewarned not to harbor or employ said boy at their peril, as the law will be enforced against such offenders.

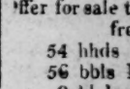
For Bermuda,

The substantial & fast sailing
Brig Benefactor,
Howland master, more than half her cargo is now engaged, and she is to sail as soon as the ice breaks. For freight of 300 barrels, or passage. Enquire of

Mordecai Miller, or
Thomas H. Howland.

February 18 6t

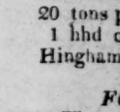
Freight Wanted



The schooner *Two Brothers*, in complete order, 300 barrels burthen, will take a freight on moderate terms, for Baltimore, Norfolk or Richmond. Enquire of the master on board, or Mr. John Green.

February 18 eo8t

For Boston,



The good Brig
Catherine,
N. Crawford, master; will take 500 barrels on low terms if offered immediately.

ALSO,

For Newburyport,

The good schr. Lydia, J. Brewer master; for freight of 300 barrels. Apply to

John G. Ladd &

Dec. 11

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Daniel Cawood.

Feb 5 d1weo1m

For New Orleans,

The ship Potomac, Charles Bradford, master; will sail on the 20th of the ensuing month, wea[ther] permitting.—For freight or passage, having excellent accommodations, apply to

John Janney and Co.

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FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21

Public Auction

On Friday the 21st instant, will be sold at the auction office corner Prince and Water streets, without reserve—on a liberal credit—

The following French Goods,
entitled to debenture.

1 case crapes assorted colors
1 ditto levantine handkerchiefs assorted colors with figured borders
1 ditto florences
5 ditto taffities
1 ditto levantines
1 crape and gauze fans

P. G. Marsteller.

February 19

Public Sale.

Will be added to Friday's sale.

1 case Irish Linens assorted.

P. G. Marsteller.

February 19

Public Sale

Will be added to next Fridays Sale at the auction store, corner of Prince and Water streets,

SUPERFINE and 2d broadcloths
Cassimeres, Stockinets
Irish linens, platillas ginghams
Cambric and jeon muslins, dimities
Mens and womens silk hosiery

ALSO

Queens ware in crates
Starch, herrings, gums and net

P. G. Marsteller.

Feb uary 19

Public Sale

Will be added to our next Fridays sales,

50 half boxes Havanna Segars, very superior.

P. G. Marsteller

February 19

Public Sale.

On FRIDAY next, will be sold at the Auction Store corner of Prince and Water streets, a likely

NEGRO GIRL,

aged 15 years, for the term of 12 years

P. G. Marsteller, auct.

February 20

Public Sale

Will be exposed to public sale on the premises, on Thursday the thirteenth of March next, at 11 o'clock, a.m.

THE House and Lot of Ground situate on the north side of Cameron st. ext opposite the market house, at present occupied by the subscriber. The lot runs back 117 feet 4 inches, and is in front 20 feet 5 inches on Cameron street.

It has been long occupied as a tavern and grocery store, and as an excellent situation for such business. Terms will be made known at place of sale

Joseph Nevitt.

February 20 eots

Fire Insurance.

The Columbian Insurance Company of Alexandria, continue to insure buildings, furniture, merchandize and other property, from loss by fire. The conditions and terms may be learned upon applications at their office, next door to the City Hotel, and will be found as moderate & equitable as those of any other company.

The rates of premium are calculated in reference to the actual risk of property, and are as low as 25 cents per 100 dollars per annum for hazards of the best description, increasing proportionably for risks of a more hazardous nature. Insurances may be made for one or more years, or shorter periods.

Columbian Insurance Office, Feb. 20.
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Feb 20

Alexandria Harmonic Society

The Members of the Alexandria Harmonic Society are requested to attend a meeting of the Society on Friday evening 21st inst. at 7 o'clock, at Mr. Sheilds's.

Performing members will please to bring their instruments.

February 20 2t

NOTICE

The subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public in general, that he has opened a Boot Factory on South Fairfax st. nearly, three doors from King street; where he has on hand a handsome assortment of Baltimore manufactured Boots, short and long, which he will sell on the most reasonable terms.

Gentlemen are requested to call and view his assortment.

N. B. Orders promptly executed and attended to by

Robert S. Boggess.

February 20 d3wtaff

Theatre.

For the Benefit of the Poor.

On SATURDAY EVENING Feb. 22.
Will be presented,
The favorite Comedy of

SPEED THE PLOUGH

SONGS,

"*Boy of Biscay O!*
"*A Frog he would a wooing go.*"

RECITATION,

Alexander's Feast,

OR,

The Power of Music

To which will be added, the admired FARCE, of

The Bee Hive

Box, One Dollar—Pit, Seventy five Cts. Children, Half Price.

Curtain rises at six o'clock.

☞ Tickets to be had at the Theatre, at Robert Gray's, and at this Office.

Smoking is not allowed in the theatre. The theatre will be made comfortably warm.

February 20 2t

Independent Blues

You will parade 22d inst. at 10 o'clock A. M. 22d inst. and join the uniform companies of the 1st Regiment, in celebrating the anniversary of the day which gave to our country her illustrious Washington. By order of the captain,

H. LANGTRY.

February 19

Company Orders.

The anniversary of the birth day of the illustrious Washington, should find every American soldier at his post, honoring the day that produced the father of his country. The Washington Guards will therefore appear on the parade, [Market Square) 22d inst at 10 o'clock A. M. precisely. Cartridges furnished in the ranks.

Thomas Sangster, captain.

February 20 2t

ATTENTION

The Members of the Alexandria Artillery are requested to parade at their gun house, on Saturday morning the 22d inst at six o'clock, to salute on the Birth Day of WASHINGTON, the Father of his country, by the discharge of cannon.

N. B. They are likewise requested to parade at the same place at ten o'clock in complete uniform, to join in the celebration of the day.

By order.

P. Rhodes, se jeant.

February 20

Wood for Sale

From 3 to 500 cords of Wood for sale, already cut and corded, within 3 miles of the town of Alexandria. Apply to the Printer.

Feb uary 20 3t

NOTICE.

THE Members of the Washington Society of Alexandria, are hereby notified, that a regular meeting of the said Society will be held at Mr. M'Laughlin's City Hotel, on Saturday next the 22d instant at half past 10 o'clock A. M. The Society will move in procession at 11 o'clock, to Christ Church, where an Oration will be delivered by William Shultz Stuart, Esq. one of its members.

By order,

G. Peyton, Sec'ty.

Feb 15

Five Dollars reward

RAN away on the first of June 1815, from the subscriber, a black boy by the name of Spencer Bennett. He is about 15 years old, and his father lives at the stone bridge in Alexandria. I purchased him of Mr. Thomas F. Barnett for a term of years. Reasonable charges will be paid if brought home or lodged in jail so that I get him again

John T. G. Wilber.

February 18 eots

Masters of vessels & others are forewarned not to harbor or employ said boy at their peril, as the law will be enforced against such offenders.

For Sale.

A few casks Messrs Murdock, Trouille Wardrop and Co's London Particular Madeira—Quality, fine

W HODGSON

Jan 21

For Sale,

THAT substantially built & elegant ly finished three story *Brick Dwelling House* on Water-street, formerly the residence of the late Dr. Dunnoly, with which will be sold, either conjointly or separately, the adjoining vacant *Lot*, 25 feet front and 120 feet deep.—The terms of sale will be very accommodating to the purchaser.

If this property be not sold previous to the 15th of May next, it will then be for *Rent* and possession given immediately thereafter.

Application may be made to

J. L. M'Kenna

april 24 dotfs2wtf

Virginia Legislature,

IN SENATE.

Saturday, Feb. 15.

A motion was made by Mr. Chamberlaine, that the fourth rule of this house be suspended for the purpose of reconsidering the bill "requiring the sheriffs of the different counties and corporations within this common wealth to take the sense of the people upon the propriety of calling a convention,' which, on Tuesday last, was rejected:

And, on the question being put thereupon, it was determined in the negative—Ayes 9, Noes 18.

The ayes and noes being required on that question, were as follows:

AYES—Edward Watts (Speaker,) William Chamberlayne, Chapman Johnson, John W. Green, Cuthbert Powell, Francis Preston, George I. Davisson, Thomas C Hoomes and Joseph Cabell; 9.

NOES—James Robertson junr. Thomas Taylor, Bartholomew D. Henley, John Hill, Richard Jones, John Cargill, Armistead Hoomes, Brazure W. Pryor, John Hone and John Cropper—10.

The bill "For arranging the counties into Districts for the election of Senators, and for equalizing the land tax" which was yesterday laid upon the table, on motion of Mr. Johnson, was taken up; and on the question put thereupon, passed by the house—Ayes 10, Noes 8.

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NOES—Thomas Taylor, Wm Chamberlayne, Bartholomew D Henley, Richard Jones, John W Green, John Cargill, Thomas C Hoomes and John Hone—8

Ordered, that the clerk inform the H. of Delegates of the passage of the said bill and request their concurrence in the amendments.

HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

On Saturday, the house of delegates, after some discussion, passed the engrossed bill, entitled "An act to amend the several laws concerning the arrearages of taxes upon lands, houses and lots." This bill goes to abolish the most obnoxious features of the present obnoxious system, and provides as to the lands already sold, that in lieu of the lands so purchased, the purchaser should, under certain circumstances receive back his money; with 50 per cent. interest.

Yesterday, the house received the bill from the Senate, equalizing the representation in that branch and also equalizing the land tax, with the various material amendments which were proposed by the senate. Mr. Baker moved to postpone the whole bill & the amendments to the 31st of March—Mr. Blackburn hoped, on the contrary, they would be recommitted to the select Committee.

The motion to postpone, gave rise to a long and animated discussion—being supported by Messrs. Baker, Robertson of P. Banks, Hay and Davis, of Hanover. It was opposed by Messrs. Blackburn, Thweatt, Mercer, Jos. C. Smyth, James Thompson, Pendleton, Chamberlayne and Stenberger. The former contended, that the bill, as amended was emphatically contrary to the constitution; as it disfranchised some counties, by depriving them of the right of voting for a representative in the senate for one year, and some for two years; while it gave to others a double representation, these gentlemen intimated, that the bill could receive no form which could make it conformable to the constitution. Some of the opponents to the motion contended, that the bill was already conformable to the constitution, and to the contemporaneous exposition which had been given of that instrument; others confessed that the bill had been materially changed in the senate, but contended that an opportunity should be granted to remove constitutional objections by recommitting it to a select committee. Most of them dwelt in the strongest terms upon the expediency of such a measure, to remove the inequality in the representation of the senate and to tranquilize the minds of the people.

On putting the question to postpone unfavorably, by ayes and noes, it was lost—ayes 58, noes 79—It was then recommitted to the Select committee which originally brought in the bill.—The committee met last night at the capitol.

The bills establishing Schools &c was taken up—a motion to postpone it till the 31st March was lost by a considerable majority, and the bill was ordered to be engrossed and read a 3d time,

From the Greensburg Gazette.

The Forester,

By Walter woodlands Esquire.

"APOLOGY FOR DRUNKENNESS."

"It appears from the public papers, that the Synod of Pittsburg have prohibited the use of ardent spirits, and have thereby condemned drunkards to suffer everlasting thirst, for if they cannot get ardent spirits in this world, it is not probable that they will obtain any in the world to come, however great their thirst may be. But, with submission to the Synod, we may venture to allege that before they pronounced a sentence calculated to place drunkards in purgatory before their time, they ought to have given them a fair trial. For whatever the merits or demerits of these men may be, they are entitled by the constitution and the law, to trial by competent judges & a jury of their peers; & a drunkard has no peer in above or under the earth, except drunkards;—therefore, he cannot be condemned, on constitutional and legal principles, but by the verdict composed of twelve drunkards, they only being his peers. Yet in the case in question, drunkards have been condemned without trial by a jury of their peers, and by judges incompetent to the task, being destitute of that experimental knowledge of the subject, which would have led them, when treading on drunkenness, to make a liberal allowance for the thirst of the drunkard—an important point in the cause. And that a generous allowance ought to be made for the thirst of drunkards, will appear evident when the influence and operation of that thirst is taken into view. Now, it is well known that there are men who have drunk their horses, cows, sheep, pigs, houses and lands to allay their thirst, and still they are dry—extremely dry; & if they could have distilled their wives and children as easily as they can malt them, they would have drunk them too. Surely the thirst of such men is entitled to serious attention. On these principles, we move an arrest of judgment and with the most profound humility submit to the consideration of the venerable Synod the following statement of the advantages of drunkenness, supported by facts within the knowledge of the court.

Drunkenness has a legal & patriotic tendency—Because, drunkards pay their debts according to law. A furnish abundant employment for lawyers and sheriffs, justices and constables; and they support the government generously, by paying more excise than any other class of citizens.

Drunkenness promotes liberty and equality.—Because, it disposes the subject of it to spurn all restraint, human and divine, and brings down the proudest gentleman to a perfect level with the greatest ruffian, and renders their company equally agreeable and entertaining, as they are equally disposed to pour a deluge of nonsense, billingsgate and blasphemy.

Drunkenness promotes legal science.—Because, drunkards obtain an interesting knowledge of criminal jurisprudence, and a number of them study the penal statutes, in those legal seminaries commonly called jails and penitentiaries.

Drunkenness promotes domestic government.—For, if you follow a drunkard home you will generally find him raging and foaming, blaspheming God, and abusing his imporent, industrious, and miserable wife and children, who stand before him with fear and trembling horror and anguish, as silent as the grave, and as submissive as the slave chained to the oar.

Drunkenness is subservient to orthodoxy & virtue.—Because, drunkards demonstrate the doctrine of human depravity and degradation, by arguments the most convincing and unanswerable: and they display virtue to an attitude and dress the most odious and disgusting.

Drunkenness promotes religion in general, and humility in particular.—Because, some men have no religion until they obtain a stiff grog & their religion increases in proportion to the quantity of spirits which they imbibe, until at length they become so extremely religious and holy as to wallow in the mud along with the hogs for the edification of the spectators.

Drunkenness circumscribes the agency of the prince of darkness.—Because, his infernal majesty from long experience, has so much confidence in darkards, that they will directly or indirectly, render themselves and their families as miserable as possible, that he seldom interferes in the business. And whenever a drunkard, appears in any company, the demon on duty puts on his hat and leaves the room, as his presence is no longer necessary.

Drunkenness prevents testamentary litigations and funeral mourning.—Because, drunkards, generally, die their own executors, and leave the world with the consent of their friends and neighbours.

All which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the thirsty, by their attorney in fact.

TIMOTHY DRY.

Westmoreland, Jan. 1817.

Greensburgh, (Pa.) Feb. 7.

DIED—On Monday the 27th of December, in the 24th year of her age, Miss Sarah Logan, daughter of the late Dr. David Logan, of North Hempfield township.

But a few months since, Miss Logan was in the full bloom of health. Her heart uncankered by vice, and its hours unwrung by care, she was happy in herself, the delight of her friends, and almost the idol of her parents. Among all the youthful females who were ever sporting in the vigour of health, and in the gladness of prosperity, none could have stronger hopes of being blessed with a fairer prospects of all the happiness than had Miss Logan. Young, lovely, and innocent, her days were spent in virtue, and the repose of the night was undisturbed by apprehensions for the future, unembittered by regret for the past. What—the cruel smiter came!—in the guise of friendship and of love he came, and blasted the scene of joy! Sickness, her breast the rose of innocence, and paled in their stead the lily of deep and bitter remorse. Betrayed, dishonored, neglected, her tender heart was unable to sustain the shock. After a few months of shame, repentance and prayer, she sank into an early grave, the victim of a seduction the most base, of one given the most wicked, that ever stained the records of our courts of justice.

Her body now had in the *narrow house*, and her spirit it is hoped, translated to "a house eternal in the heavens," where no spoiler can break in—her affectionate mother, [Heaven, in its mercy, had snatched away the former,] the fatal blow at the peace and honor of his family was struck at her hand, whose every wish was breathed for her weal, whose every wearing was the recollection of her sorrows, her benefactor in sickness, sorrow, her keeper in the profusion of wealth, and rejoicing in the success of his efforts, his cheek unmantled with the hush of shame, his conscience scathing to remorse, his eye averted with fears, and his heart unbunched by pity,

"Curse on his perjured arts, dissembling smooth!
Are honor, virtue, conscience, all exiled?
Is there no pity, no relenting ruth,
Points to the parents asking over their child?
Then points the veiled wraith, and their distraction's wild?
Does he forget the groans he never hear
Screaming wrath hovers, but in secret gore,
Give the strained fibres to the heart's mark core,
Still stainless conscience keeps its wild career,
Convulsive curses on the source of dire."

Merchants' Bank Paper,

[*Fifty Cents for the Dollar*]

Will be received in payment for lands in the Potomac and Shenandoah Lottery, if applied for soon.

R. GRAY

January 21

Lawson & Fowle,

Have for sale, received per the schooner Indian, from Portland—

15 hogsheads } Muscovado Sugar
28 barrels }
1 box white Havana ditto
15 hogsheads retailing molasses
4 do. New England rum
12 tons Russia iron assorted
50 tons plaister Paris.

For Freight

The schooner Indian, Carlisle master; is a fast sailing vessel, and can take 700 barrels, will be ready to receive her cargo on board, and can sail for the West Indies or eastward early as above.

january 28

Philadelphia Lottery.

Bank Notes of Philadelphia and Baltimore, for sale by

Mandeville & Lawson.

Dec 27

ALEXANDRIA.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT AT WASHINGTON.

February 20.

The unfavorable report of the committee of pensions and revolutionary claims, to whom the petition of Colonel Allen McLean was referred, was yesterday before the House of Representatives, when Gen. Jackson moved to reverse it, and in a speech which did credit to his feelings and understanding, urged the claims of that veteran. He described him as a highly meritorious revolutionary officer; for his signal services honored with the favor of Washington, and by that great man rewarded for them with the office of collector of Wilmington in Delaware, the receipts of which, however, far from affording a maintenance for him and his family, scarcely paid the expences of the office, so that the Colonel was in very narrow and distressing circumstances; and he founded his motion to reverse the report as well on the claims of the petitioner as on the deduction from the evidence in the case, that either the committee had misapprehended, or the colonel failed in making a correct representation, of his case.

The chairman of the committee and several members however distinctly stated that there had been no mistake or misrepresentation, that Colonel McLean had stated to them that he had accepted the commutation money in lieu of half pay. The motion of General Jackson was negatived and the report was concurred in by the house.

The repeal of the Internal Taxes was the whole of the day after under discussion, and much argument and much heat took place. It stands however where it did. *Sic itur.* Thus melts the session away.

COMMUNICATION.

Mr. Snowden,

Your correspondent feels happy in approaching that period when we shall again be blest with the sight of that old fashioned commodity, gold and silver: and I am still happier to learn that the banks of our district (whose paper from several contingent causes, has been depreciated much below what our natural advantages and resources should have fixed it) are as well prepared for this business as any of those at the northward. There has been a very great accession of specie to the banks of this town since the peace; and I have very little apprehension of any of those difficulties attending this transition which some, who are naturally apt to dwell on the dark side of the picture, may conjure up; such as, that the new banks going into operation in Virginia, will draw their specie from the vaults of the district; and that many of the farmers, anxious to see how gold and silver look, and hear their delightful jingle, will be down upon us, &c. Such forebodings as these cannot, I think, be founded on much reflection, for there are more banks going out of, than are coming into, existence, in Virginia; all of which have more or less specie, and owned too, by nearly the same men who will hold the stock of the new banks. The specie will only change vaults. As to the individual holders of our paper being troublesome in any considerable degree, it is not a reasonable conclusion. Money is generally earned and held by men of sense and calculation, and these know well enough that when a five dollar bill is a fair, honest representation of five silver dollars, or a half eagle, and will bring it on demand, it is that moment preferable to the specie, being so much more safe and convenient, either to circulate or keep, as it possesses that wonderful quality of taking no more room for a large than a small amount. But admitting that bank notes were not preferable to specie as above stated, our country friends know as well as we do, that cramping the circulation of bank paper and sending it home on all occasions, has an indirect tendency, by making the banks lessen their discounts, to lower the price of every thing they send to market.

To have our exchange regulated by the standard of gold and silver money, being a consummation so devoutly to be wished, your correspondent feels confident there is not a citizen who wishes to remain respected among us and to see the prosperity of the town, but will co-operate most heartily in aid of this wise regulation.

A bill having been introduced in the Legislature of Maryland for removing the seat of government to Baltimore, a member, Dr. Duval, has offered a resolution declaring it inexpedient to remove, as in Baltimore "mobs the most furious are reared with unparallelled facility," and "the dangerous and overgrowing preponderance of that city might prove of evil tendency to the body politic, as it did to sundry unfortunate victims, during the existence of the ever memorable mobs of July 1812."

Information has reached town from Lubec, says the Boston Daily Advertiser of Friday, that the Plaster law, of the Province of New-Brunswick, is immediately to take effect, and that a proclamation to that effect had reached Lubec. It will be remembered that this law prohibits the landing of Plaster at Boston, or any port east of it under a penalty of 20 shillings.

Communicated for the Patriot.

Extract of a letter dated New-Orleans January 20th, 1817.

"Times are very hard here, produce continues very high, money scarce and drafts on the Atalantic States cannot be negociated."

Cotton 25 1-2 a 26 cents cash; Sugar 10 a 11 cents; Molasses 36 cents; Flour 19 dollars; tobacco 8 cents.

MONTREAL, Feb. 8.

We are informed that late & important news was received yesterday in this city, from the North West, by which it appears that the scenes of carnage that have formerly glutted that country have not terminated: it is said that an officer belonging to the Hudson's Bay Company has been murdered; if the above information proves correct, we shall be able to give some details in our next number.

QUEBEC Feb. 6.

A letter from a gentleman in Three Rivers gives the following account of an extraordinary emigration from a fertile and hitherto flourishing part of the province: cause thereof is not mentioned:

"Upwards of 80 families have gone from the townships situated on the Saint Francois in the district of Three Rivers, within the last month, and others are following. The course is for the state of Pennsylvania and upper Canada, and will prove a serious loss to this province. That fine settlement will be destitute of inhabitants by another year."

The Scheming Milliner.

We are informed that a French lady began business in this city and after experiencing a considerable degree of fashionable custom, proposed to dispose of the remainder of her stock of fancy goods through the medium of an attractive lottery, in which there were to be no blanks. Accordingly her shop was thronged with ladies, old and young, anxious for the precious articles to be obtained at so cheap a price. She disposed of about 3 00 dollars worth of tickets; and the happy holders of them were informed that the drawing would take place in the course of this week: But, unhappy to relate, the lady was withdrawn with all her goods and chattles, leaving her credulous customers a complete blank, shop.

Phil Gazette.

COLD COMFORT.

An Englishman once from his England had gone,
In Scotland to travel a foot and alone:
Five weeks on Scotch ground to the north he had pass'd
And all the five weeks had the rain fallen fast,
And still it was falling yet faster and faster,
(To such a pedestrian no trifling disaster;)
His patience exhausted—cold—weary—distress'd—
He met an old herd, whom he gruffly address'd,
"Does no kind of weather in Scotland appear
But this? have you rain everlastingly here?
"Rain!" answered the man, as he pass'd him "O no,
"We sometimes have Hail! Sir, and sometimes have Snow!"

Port of Alexandria.

FROM THE EXCHANGE COFFEE-HOUSE BOOKS.

February 19.

Brig Ceylon, Ferrier, which was driven ashore by the ice at Bergen Point, N York, got off on Saturday evening the 15th instant,

February 20.

Packet schooner Philadelphia, Hand, at Norfolk, 17th instant, up for Philadelphia, to sail in a few days.

AN ACT

Making an appropriation for the temporary relief of the Poor of the town.

Section 1. Be it enacted, that the further sum of four hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated towards the relief of out door pensioners & temporary poor, principally in the article of fuel, to be distributed under the direction of one member from each ward, to such persons only as have gained a legal residence in the town.

Section 2. Be it further enacted, that Messrs. Morgan, Hipkins, Veitch and Sandford, be and the same are hereby appointed a committee to carry the above into effect.

Section 3. Be it further enacted, that this act shall commence and be in force from and after the passing hereof.

Passed in council 17th day of February, 1817.

HUGH SMITH,
President pro tem.

Approved 17th February,
EDM. I. Lee, Mayor.
Test. I P Thompson, c. c.

AN ACT

Making further appropriations for the improvement of the Market Square.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the common council of Alexandria, that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars be & the same is hereby appropriated for the purpose of paying for the bell and town clock, contracted for in pursuance of an order in council of the 17th day of October 1816, and that the same be charged to the general fund.

Section 2 Be it further enacted, that this act shall commence and be in force from and after the passing hereof.

Passed in council this 17th day of February 1817.

HUGH SMITH,
President pro tem.

Approved February 17.
EDM. I LEE, Mayor.
Test, I. P. Thompson, c. c.

CIGARS.

Just received and for sale,

Ten thousand first quality Spanish CIGARS.

Wm. Devaughn.

February 21 6t

Potomac and Shenandoah *Navigation Lottery.*

Second Class.

Will draw every Friday until further notice. Eighteenth day's drawing will take place this day, when the first drawn number will be entitled to 100 tickets, from Number 10,201 to 10,300 inclusive, with all the prizes they have or may draw.

Robert Gray.

February 21

By John Jackson & co.

On Saturday 22d instant, at 10 o'clock, At the auction Rooms, Union street, will be sold, without reserve, to close some consignments—

Few pieces elegant Brussels carpetings
do Kidderminster do
do stair and passage do
A few hearth rugs
1 bale elegant colored bombazett's
trunk calicoes
case beautiful domestic cotton—on a credit of 60 days.

Broadcloths, fine and second quality
Cassimeres, coatings, flannels
Calicoes, muslins, pins, hosiery
Madras & common hdkfs. cotton hdkfs
Elegant silk, camels hair, merino, and cotton shawls
cases elegant silk Hats
brown do
trunks ladies elegant silk sandals
boxes Morocco shoes
Boots
Invoice Glass Ware, Waiters, Combs, &c.
1 case elegant Irish Linens
Brown Linens, Sheetings, Curtains, Cotton Balls, morocco, pocket and memorandum Books &c.
mould and dipt Candles, Chocolate, Brandy Raisins, cotton Cards, gross and nett Herrings, Sugars, &c.

February 21 2t

BIRTH-NIGHT BALL.

The Anniversary Ball in commemoration of the Birth of the late illustrious WASHINGTON, will be on Monday Evening the 24th inst. in consequence of the 22d occurring on Saturday.

☞ Information of any omissions in the distribution of tickets, will be thankfully received by the Managers.

February 21 3t

Potomac and *Shenandoah*
Navigation Lottery.

THE drawing of the Lottery will be recommenced on Monday the third of February next.

Tickets to be had of Joseph Brewer, at the Commissioner's Office in George Town, and of Jonah Thompson, Agent of said Lottery, in Alexandria.

Ehe Williams, Pres't.

December 27

District of Columbia.

County of Alexandria—to wit:
November term, 1816.

The Common Council of Alexandria. Complaint,

Against

Mary Bushby widow and Roberts and Elizabeth his wife, Beverly Waugh and Catharine his wife, Mary Bushby, & Joseph Bushby, heirs of William Bushby, deceased. } *In Chancery*

and

John Neill, Defendants.

The defendants, Mary Bushby, and Jonathan Roberts and Elizabeth his wife, Beverly Waugh, and Catharine his wife, Mary Bushby and Joseph Bushby, not having entered their appearance and giving security according to the statute and the rules of this court, and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court upon affidavit, that the said defendants Mary Bushby and Jonathan Roberts, and his wife, Beverly Waugh, and Catharine his wife, Mary Bushby and Joseph Bushby, are, not inhabitants of this District; no motion of the complainants by their counsel, it is ordered that the said defendants, Mary Bushby, widow, and Jonathan Roberts, and Elizabeth his wife, Beverly Waugh and Catharine his wife, Mary Bushby and Joseph Bushby, do appear here on the first day of April term next and enter their appearance to the suit, and give security for performing the decrees of the court, and that the other defendant, John Neill, do not pay away, convey, or secrete, the debts by them owing to, or the estate or effects in his hands, belonging to the said absent defendants Mary Bushby and Jonathan Roberts and Elizabeth his wife Beverly Waugh and Catharine his wife, Mary Bushby and Joseph Bushby, until the further order or decree of this Court, and that a copy of this order be forthwith published for two months successively in one of the public newspapers published in this county, and that another copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of said county

A copy—Test:
G. DENEALE, C. C.

January 22 1aw2m

John G Ladd & Co.

Have for sale the Cargo of the brig George Washington, viz.

20 tons bar iron
50 bbls and 3 hhds NE rum
8 hhds molasses
25 barrels cider
14 barrels sugar
44 do tanner's oil
97 do and 134 bushels potatoes
9 do apples
13 kegs ginger
20 bundles wrapping paper
1 case bandana hankkerchiefs
3 boats
880 pounds cassia
8 dining sets India China, each 85 pieces.

January 17

Just Received

Price 3 dollars bound and lettered the new and complete life of our

Blessed Lord & Saviour
JESUS CHRIST,

Containing an authentic and full account of all the wonderfull transactions, sufferings and death of our

GLORIOUS REDEEMER:

With the lines, acts and sufferings of his holy Apostles, Evangelists, Disciples, &c, including the lives of St. John the Baptist, the Virgin Mary, and many other eminent persons, and primative Christians, not to befound in any other work of the kind by

PAUL WRIGHT, D D

ALSO,

Price 2 dollars and a half bound; a Register of Officers and Agents, Civil Military and Naval, in the service of the United States, on the 13th day of Sept. 1816. Published in pursuance of a resolution of congress, of the 27th April 1816.

R. GRAY.

February 12

Public Sale

To be SOLD, for the *best price they will bring:*

Three valuable two story well finished Brick Tenements and Lots, on Saturday the 8th of March, at twelve o'clock, situated on the east side Washington street, between Prince and Duke streets in the town of Alexandria, which were conveyed to me by Jonathan Schofield and wife, in trust, to indemnify Andrew Schoffield against certain endorsements by him made for the accommodation of the said Jonathan The above tenements have a healthy situation and in a genteel neighborhood well calculated for private families; and will be sold without reserve. Terms made known at time of sale.

R. I. TAYLOR.

February 5 eots

We have just received and offer for sale,

200 barrels Kentucky whiskey, old and very fine
50 boxes dipt candles
80 boxes fresh mustard.

Bryan Hampson & Co.

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Public Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale his ESTABLISHMENT on the north side of Cameron-street, situated on the centre of the square between the Bank of Alexandaia and the City Tavern—consisting of a three story

BRICK HOUSE

with two stories in the rear, the whole covered with slate and running in one range of buildings from the front 117 feet 6 inches. The house contains twelve rooms, (besides the store and cellers: 10 of them with fire places, some of them spacious and elegant, and few less than 15 by 18 feet in the clear, except one close room; one front and two back stairways, a kitchen with two fire places, with stoves for cooking, over which are servants' rooms, adjoining a pantry, smoke house and other necessary back buildings.

The cellars are large, floored and fitted up in the neatest manner, equal, if not superior to any in the district; the floor over which, is finished in the best stile, and has been occupied for a length of time pass as a fancy store, consisting of China, Delf, Glass and Hardware, &c. The cellars as a Wine Grocery and Spirit Store, &c.

The purchaser can have the goods on hand, which comprise a good assortment and have been carefully selected at cost.

On the house, so far, there has been expended and paid upwards of $12,000. Nearly 16 feet of the lot in front remains to be built on.

The buildings are insured and nearly complete in every particular, and on examination will be found to be an establishment equalled by few here or elsewhere.

About two thirds of the amount for house goods, &c. would be required in hand, or in approved notes at short date; on the remainder a long credit will be given.

He would wish, also, to sell, on a credit, or would barter for goods, or property in the district—two squares of two acres each, in the town of Jefferson, Ohio. Both squares join in with the public square, on which has been erected the market-house, court house, jail, etc.—The squares are divided into half squares, by 28 feet alleys, and to each half square there is attached 8 acres of land immediately adjoining the town, as town farms, and to each square the remaining 160 acres, further distant. This settlement is in a flourishing state, being the county and post town, situated on the river Grand, a short distance from Lake Erie, the soil rich and of first rate quality.

Should he not be able to effect the sales above stated in a short time, on liberal and fair terms, he would have no objection to take a partner in trade, who putting one third or one half the interest he holds in the concern, would reap a proportionable part of the profits in assisting to conduct the business.

WM. DUNLAP.

N. B. Arrangements might be made to accommodate a partner with the whole or part of the dwelling house if necessary.

February 20 2aw4w

Orphan's Court,

Alexandria County,
Feb. Term, 1817.

Ordered, That the executors of John May, deceased, do insert the usual advertisement three times a week for four weeks in the Alexandria newspapers.

Copy—Test,
A. MOORE, Reg Wills.

This is to give Notice,

That the subscribers, of Alexandria county, in the district of Columbia, have obtained from the Orphans' Court of said county, letters testamentary on the estate of John May, late of said county dec'd: All persons having claims ahainst the said decedent, are hereby warned to exhibit the same with the vouchers thereof, passed by the Orphans' Court, to the subscriber, on or before the 10th day of August next, or they may by law be excluded from all benefit to said estate—and those indebted thereto are required to make immediate payment.

Given under our hands this 10th day of February, 1817.

David Ross,
Jonah Isabell,
Executors of John May.

Feb 10 co4w

Alexandria Morocco Manufactory.

At the Corner of Oronoko & Water streets near the Fish wharf,

Where may be had, Morocco for gentlemen's boots, Morocco and American Kid of all colors for ladies' shoes, coachmakers' and hatters' Lining Skins, hatters' and spinning wool. The above articles manufactured in the best manner by the subscribers.

John D. Benkhert & Co.

N, B. All kinds of Silks scowered and dyed in the best manner.

November 7 eotf

FOR SALE.

On liberal Terms,

A NUMBER of Houses and Lots, at the lower end of Fairfax street, and the whole or a part of the low ground or marsh adjacent to Jones's Point. Apply to

J. D. Simms.

Dec 28 ee

Merchants' Bank Paper,

[*At Fifty Cents for the Dollar*]

Will be received in payment for tickets in the Potomac and Shenandoah Lottery, if applied for soon.

R. GRAY.

January 31

Lawrason & Fowle,

Have for sale, received per the schooner Buffalo, from Portland—

15 hogsheads } Muscovado Sugars
23 barrels }
1 box white Havana ditto
15 hogsheads retailing molasses
4 dipt New England rum
12 tons Russia iron assorted
50 tons plaister Paris,

For Freight.

The schooner Sabine, Carlisle Lee; is a fast rate vessel, carries 650 barrels will be ready in four days to take a cargo on board, and take freight for the West Indies or coastwise apply as above.

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Philadelphia Money.

Bank Notes of Philadelphia and Baltimore, for sale by

Mandeville & Larmour.

Dec 27

JAMES KENNEDY & SON,

BOOKSELLERS, KING STREET,

Have just received from LEE'S PATENT MEDICINE Store, No. 46 Maiden Lane, N. York

A FRESH SUPPLY

Of the following genuine Medicines.

For the prevention and cure of Bilious and Malignant Fevers, is recommended

Hahn's Anti-Bilious Pills.

THIS Medicine has been attended with a degree of success highly grateful to the inventor s feelings, in several parts of the West Indies, and the Southern & Middle States, particularly in N. York, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Petersburg, Richmond, Norfolk, Edenton, Wilmington, Charleston, and Savannah. The testimony of a number of persons at each of the above places can be adduced, who have reason to believe, that a timely use of this salutary remedy has, under Providence, preserved their lives, when in the most alarming circumstances.

Facts of this conclusive nature speak more in favour of a medicine than columns of pompous eulogy, founded on mere assertion.

It s not, indeed, presumptuously proposed as an infallible cure, but the inventor has every possible reason that can result from extensive experience, for believing that a dose of these Pills, taken once in every two weeks, during the prevalence of our bilious fevers, will prove an infallible preventative; and further, that in the earlier stages of those diseases, their use will very generally succeed in restoring health, and frequently in cases esteemed desperate, and beyond the power of common remedies.

The operation of these pills is perfectly mild, so as to be used with safety by persons in every situation, and of every age.

They are excellently adapted to cary off superfluous bile & prevent its morbid secretions—to restore & amend the appetite—to produce a free perspiration and thereby prevent colds which is so often of fatal consequences. A dose never fails to remove a cold if taken on its first appearance—they are celebrated for removing habitual costiveness—sickness at the stomach and severe head-ache—and ought to be taken by all persons on a change of climate.

They have been found remarkably efficatious in preventing and curing disorders attendant on long voyages, and should be procured and carefully preserved for use by every seaman.

HAMILTON'S WORM DESTROYING LOZENGES.

Which have cured an immense number of persons of both sexes, of every age, and in every situation, of various dangerous complaints arising from worms, and from obstructions orfoulness in their stomach and bowels.

This medicine bears no analogy whatever to others of similar titles so commonly complained of, as operating with violence; on the contrary, a particular excellence of this remedy is its being suited to every age and perfectly in It contains nothing but what is constitutionally innocent, and is also mild in its operations cannot injure the most delicate pregnant lady or the tenderest infant of a week old, should no worms exist in the body; but will, without pain or griping, cleanse the stomach and bowels, of whatever is foul or offensive, and thereby prevent the production of worms, and many fatal disorders. The lozenges are particularly efficacious n carrying off all gross humours and eruptions, feverish and bilious complaints, and are the safest and mildest purgative that can be used on any occasion.

DESCRIPTION OF WORMS.

And the symptoms by which they are known:

Worms which infest the human body, are chiefly of four kinds, viz.—The Teres, or large round worm; the Ascarides, or small maw-worm; the Cucurbitina, or short, flat, white worm; and lastly, the Tænia, or tape-worm, so called from its resemblance to tape. This is often many ya ds long, and is full of joints. It is most hurtful and most difficult to remove.

Among the symptoms attending worms are—disagreeable breath, especially in the morning; bad and corrupted gums; itching in the nose, and about the seat; convulsions, epileptic fits, and sometimes privation of speech; starting and grinding of the teeth in sleep; irregular appetite, sometimes loathing food, and sometimes voracious; purging, with slimy & fœtid stools; vomiting; large and hard belly; pains and sickness at the stomach; slow fever, with small and irregular pulse; a dry cough; excessive thirst; sometimes pale and unhealthy countenance, and sometimes the face heated and flushed.

Persons afflicted with any of the above symptoms, should have immediate recourse to Hamilton's Worm Destroying Lozenges, which have been constantly attended with success, in all complaints similar to those above described.

A dose of this medicine given occasionally during the warm season, will effectually prevent the vomiting and purging of chint—a dreadful disorder, which annually destroys the lives of the infa part of our citizens [illegible] mildest and m[illegible]

certain remedy known, and has restore to health and strength a great numbe when in an advanced stage of this fat complaint. Particular and plain instructions are given for every part of the necessary treatment in such cases.

Children generally take this medicine with eagerness; having a pleasing appearance, and an agreeable taste.

Hamilton's Essence and Extract of Mustard.

A safe and effectual remedy for acute and chronic rheumatism, gout asthmatic gout, palsy, lumbagoo, numbness, white swellings, chilblains, sprains, bruises, pain in the face and neck, etc.

The Genuine Persian Lotion.

So celebrated among the fashionable throughout Europe, is an invaluable cosmetic, perfectly innocent and safe, free from corrosive and repellant minerals, (the basis of other lotions) and of unparralled efficacy in removing blemishes of the face and skin, freckles, pimples inflamatory redness, scurfs, tetters, ringworms, sunburns, prickly heat, &c. The Persian Lotion operates mildly, without impeding the natural insensible perspiration, which is essential to health, yet its effects are speedy and permanent, rendering the skin delicately soft and smooth and improving the complexion.

The Restorative Powder for the teeth and Gums.

This excellent preparation comforts and strengthens the gums, preserves the enamel from decay, and cleanses and whitens the teeth, by absorbing all the acrimonious slime and foulness, which suffered to accumulate, never fails to injure and finally ruin them.

Hamilton's Grand Restorative,

Is recommended as an invaluable medicine for the speedy relief and permanent cure of the various complaints resulting from dissipated pleasures, juvenile indiscretions, residence in climates unfavourable to the constitution, the immoderate use of tea, frequent inoxication or any other destructive intemperance the unskilful or excessive use of mercury, the diseases peculiar to females at a certain period of life, bad lyings in, &c

HAMILTON'S ELIXIR.

Sovereign remedy for Colds, obstinate Coughs, Asthmas, sore throats, and approaching Consumptions, and most disorders of the breast and lungs.

Hahn's genuine Eye Water.

A sovereign remedy for all diseases of the eyes, whether the effect of natural weakness or of accident.

Toothe Ache Drops

The only remedy yet discovered which gives immediate and lasting relief in the most severe instances.

Lee's Ointment for the Itch.

Warranted an infallible remedy at one application, may be used with perfect safety on infants a week old, not containing a particle of mercury or any dangerous ingredient whatever, and not accompanied with that tormenting smart which attends the application of other remedies.

Lee's Infallibe Ague and Fever Drops.

For the cure of agues, remittent, and intermitten: fevers.

Han's true & genuine German Corn Plaister.

☞ At the place of sale pamphlets may be had gratis, describing cures performed by the above medicines; the number, importance and respectability of which, fully justify every article of this advertisement.

August 10

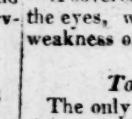
Lawrason & Fowle

HAVE FOR SALE,

The cargo of sloop Haymaker, captain Weeks, from Boston, of

75 tons plaister Paris
7 hhds New-England rum
10 bbls do
100 boxes mould candles
20 do brown soap
100 demijohns
3 bales low priced broadcloths.

FOR BOSTON,



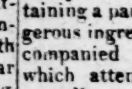
The Brig
Wanderer,

Alexander Newcomb, master, Now loading, will sail on Sunday morning, and take 300 barrels freight, if offered immediately.

Apply as above.

Dec 5

For New-Orleans,



The brig Two Brothers, James Holmes, master; will sail in 8 or 10 days; is a first rate vessel & in complete order. For freight or passage, apply to the Master on board at Dean's wharf. or to

Lawrason and Fowle.

December 17

TO RENT,

The large and commodious three story brick Warehouse, now in the possession of Dodge and Kettell, lower end of King street. Possession may be had the 20th February next. Apply to

Griffith and Brawner.

December 5 law

New Publications

And other valuable Books,

Lately received and for sale by

James Kennedy and Son.

EUSTACE'S Classical Tour thro' Italy, 2 vols
Chaubrind's travels through Greece, Palestine, etc
Ditto recollections of England and America, etc.
Ditto beauties of christianity
Ali Bey's travels in Europe, Asia and Africa
Jarve's ditto in Brazil
Humboldt's ditto in South America
Salt's ditto i Abyssinia
Morier's ditto in Persia and Armenia
La Baume's narrative of the Russian campaign
Memoirs and campaigns of Bernadotte
Philippart's memoirs of General Moreau
Memoirs of the Marchioness La Roche Jaquelin
Galt's life of Benjamin West with a portrait
Charnochs ditto of lord Nelson
Hawleys life of Cowper
Hills ditto of Doctor Blair
Ramsays ditto Washington
Johnsons lives of the poets
Murphys life of Garrick
Memoirs of Elizabeth Carter
Tookes life of Catharine 2d
Cavis lives of the apostles & evangelists
Rollins ancient history with and without atlas
Lemprieres biographical dictionary
——— classical ditto
Edwards's history of the West Indies, and atlas
Gibbons ditto of Rome
Goldsmiths ditto of ditto, calf, gilt
ditto ditto of Greece ditto
Murphys translation of Tacitus, ditto
Belves ditto of Herodotus ditto
Ramsays history American revolution
Bozmans ditto of Maryland
Stoddards account of Louisiana
Carvers travels in South America
De Warvilles ditto in the United States
Mellish's ditto in ditto
Morses universal geography and atlas
ditto ditto gazetteer of the English and Welsh continent
Brookes's ditto ditto
Anecdotes of Frederick the great
Plutarch's lives, calf gilt and plain
Sterne's works
Elegant Miniature Editions of the following:
British Theatre in 33 volumes
Works of Shakespear, Thompson, Goldsmith, Lord Byron, Burns, Walter Scott, Cowper Dryden's Virgil, Homer's Iliad, by Pope, Zimmerman on Solitude, Salmagundi

ALSO,

Bibles and common prayer books of all sizes and prices, Watts's psalms and hymns. Dwight' Rippon's, & Methodist collections, Smith and Little's psalmody
School and classical books of every description, and a large assortment of childrens books, with engravigns both colored and plain.

February 19 eotf

Elegant Carpeting

For sale at Auction Prices, by

JOHN JACKSON & CO.

1 bale Brussels
1 Kidderminsters
1 Stair and Passage—and
Imperial Hearth Rugs, new and beautiful Patterns.

January 14

Paper for Sale.

David and J. Ross

Have received, per ship Potomac, from Genoa,

87 bales writing paper, assorte

Which they offer for sale on very low terms. They keep a constant supply of first quality chewing tobacco for sale by the quantity.

Dec 17

Rum and Tea.

John G Ladd & Co.

Have just received and offer for sale
20 bbls N E. rum
5 chests hyson tea.

Dec 24

For Sale,

Just landed from schooner New Packet from Boston
30 barrels No 1 Mackerel
50 boxes mould candles no 5 & 6
30 do dipt do all sizes
Apply to Daniel Barnes at Faxon, Metcalf and Co's counting room.

December 21

Little River Turnpike Stock

WANTED;

For which cash will be paid at the

Fire Insurance Office.

February 13 tf

The Gentleman and Ladys

POCKET ALMANAC

AND

Annual Pocket Remembrancer for 1817

Are just received for sale by

James Kennedy & Son.

Nov 19 eotf

Rum, Molasses, New England Sugar & Tea,

JOHN G. LADD & CO.

Offer for sale the Cargo of Brig Economy from Boston, viz.

54 hhds N. E. rum
56 bbls N. E. do
9 hhds molasses
57 bbls Muscovado sugars
68 tons Russia and Swedes iron assorted and square
14 bbls tanners oil
20 tons plaisth Paris
1 hhd coffee
Hingham boxes, tubs, covers, &c

FOR BOSTON,

The good Brig Economy, Josiah Farrow, jun. master For freight of 400 barrels apply to

John G. Ladd & Co.

Dec 28

JUST RECEIVED,

Few kegs Prime Richmond manufacture

Chewing Tobacco.

A. B. DICK.

january 30

NOTICE.

The subscriber intending to remove from this place in a short time, requests all those indebted to him by bond, note or open account, to come forward & settle them up to first of January 1817.

He will dispose of the Houses & Lots he now occupies, and possession given the 15th October next. The dwelling house is calculated for the accommodation of a family, with all the necessary out houses, and a very productive garden subject to a small ground rent—the stand for retailing goods, or purchase of produce, is inferior to none in town.

It is deemed unnecessary to give a more minute description, as it is presumed those wishing to purchase will view the premises.

He will also sell a quarter acre Lot and Dwelling House thereon, near the court house.

The above property will be disposed of on accommodating terms to those wishing to purchase.

GEORGE SMITH

Dumfries, [illegible]

Land for Sale

A tract or parcel of Land, containing between two and three hundred acres on the north side of Occoquan, in Fairfax county, about 5 miles west of Occoquan mills. It is well watered with never failing springs, it is also well timbered, and the great quantity of fur timber on it renders it the more valuable to any person in the coopering line. This land is of the middle soil, and produces corn, wheat or any other grain tolerable well—there is about 100 acres cleared and under good fence. The improvements are a log dwelling house & other out houses, and a good apple orchard of about sixty trees.

ALSO,

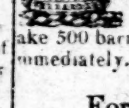
One other tract in the same county within three miles of Occoquan, lying on Sandy Run, containing 47 acres—one half in cultivation and under good fence the remainder heavily timbered. There are on the premises an old framed dwelling house and out houses and an apple orchard of eighty bearing trees.

Any person inclining to purchase can view the premises and know the terms by applying to the subscriber who lives near them.

Thomas Gossom.

November 30 9months

For Boston,

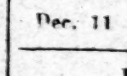


The good Brig
Catherine,

N. Crawford, master: will take 500 barrels on low terms if offered immediately.

ALSO,

For Newburyport,



The good schr. Lydia, J. Brown master; for freight of 300 barrels. Apply to

John G. Ladd &

Dec. 11

For Bermuda,

The substantial & fast sailing
Brig Benefactor,

Howland master, more than half her cargo is now engaged, and she is to sail as soon as the ice breaks. For freight of 300 barrels, or passage. Enquire of Mordecai Miller, or Thomas H. Howland.

February 18 6t

Alexandria, Jan. 23

WAS committed to the jail of this county as a runaway, a Negro Man, who says his name is BILL COOK, he is about 21 years of age, and black complexion, 5 feet 6 inches high; had on a short jacket much pitched, and blue pantaloons; he says he was born free, about three miles from Fauquier court house in the state of Virginia. The owner, if any, is requested to come and prove his property, pay charges & take him away; otherwise he will be disposed of as the law directs

James Campbell, jailor.

january 29 law2m

For Rent,

That commodious and pleasantly situated Dwelling House, at present occupied by W D Simms, Esq. Attached to the house is a large yard and a very productive garden: also every convenient out building Possession may be had immediately, *Apply to*

Margaret Chapin.

Feb 6 tf

Cash for Furs.

The highest Cash Price will be given by the subscriber for all kinds of Furs.

Samuel D Harper.

January

For Sale,

500 bushels Northern potatoes
150 boxes Nova Scotia herrings first sort
3 bbls nuts from Philadelphia, and few boxes mould and dipt candles.

Cheap for cash by

Charles Norris.

Feb

Wanted

Two Boys to the Hatting Business, from 14 to 16 years of age, of good character and connections

J. T. C. Wilbar.

February 18 tf

FISHERY

The subscriber intends carrying on the Fishing Business at the White House, this spring

He informs the public that he can supply them with

Shad and Herrings

as low as they can be had on the Potomac river, and will try to give general satisfaction to all those who call on him.

☞ He will give 30 Dollars and 100 Shad for good strong Hands to haul the seine for the season.

Wm. Patterson.

February 18 3t

For Boston,

The schr. Levant, I. Reed master; will commence loading on Tuesday next, and take 500 barrels on freight. Apply to

Lawrason and Fowle.

Was Stolen

From my Store on King street, on Saturday night last, by a negro boy,

ONE pair of olive colored pantaloons: the young gentleman who attended the store immediately pursued the thief and overtook a negro man with a bundle which he dropped and made his escape. On examination of which it was found to contain a new plaid handkerchief and loaver of sugar, which the owner can have by proving property and paying the expence of this advertisement.

Jonathan C. May.

February 18 tf

Was Found,

On Sunday night, near the Bank of Potomac, by a servant,

A Merino Shawl,

Which the owner may have by applying to the Printer, describing the same, paying for this advertisement and leaving a small gratuity to the finder.

February 18 tf

A few Shares of Mechanics' Bank Stock, for sale.

Apply to the Printer.

Jan 9 tf

Gunpowder

The subscribers have just received 20 kegs English Gunpowder, tower proof, from HF to F. Also cannon, rifle and cannister. Sportsmen are invited to try the quality.

R. and J. Mandeville.

December 20

We have just Received

AND OFFER FOR SALE,

50 barrels of [illegible]key.

Bryan Hampson & Co.

January 7

For Boston & Portland.

The schr. Buffaloe, Capt. Lees, will sail as soon as the ice permits and take more freight offered immediately. Apply to

Lawrason and Fowle.

january 25

TO LET,

OR FOR SALE,

The House lately occupied by William Wood, situated on Royal street, south of King street, three doors below the office of Samuel Snowden, Possession may be had the first of February

Also, the House I at present occupy to the east of the above. For particulars enquire of

Joseph Ingle, Alexandria.

january 23

ALMANACS,

English and German,

For the Year

1817,

Wholesale and Retail—for sale by

James Kennedy & Son

October 18 tf